

Hood River County School District

Code: **BB**
Adopted: 11/18/92
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Orig. Code(s): 1101

Board Legal Status

The Constitution of the state of Oregon charges the legislature with providing by statute for a uniform and general system of common schools. The legislature enacts laws to delegate the immediate control of the schools by locally elected boards of directors. Thus, the Board is the governing body of the Hood River County School District.

Federal and state statutes and State Board of Education rules define and outline the general powers and duties of the Board. The Oregon statutes authorize the Board to transact all business within the jurisdiction of the district, control the district schools and educate the children residing in the district. Oregon Administrative Rule establish further requirements and guidelines for districts. The Board's duty is to carry out those statutes that are mandatory; e.g., "The Board shall...;" where the laws are permissive; e.g., "The Board may...," the Board is empowered to exercise judgment and discretion.

This school district will be known as the Hood River County School District. Hood River County School District is an administrative district, and as such, must follow the law in its organization plan.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 255.335](#)

[ORS 332.018\(1\)](#)

[ORS 332.030\(4\)](#)

[ORS 332.072](#)

[ORS 332.075](#)

[ORS 332.105](#)

[ORS 332.107](#)

[ORS 335.505](#)

OR. CONST., art. VIII, § 3.